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Broke Away From His Father-in-Law and Threw Himself in Front of a Locomotive.

Satisfaction is unusual with "Five-Cent cigar smokers," but it has been the everyday experience of hundreds of thousands of men who have smoked

Old Virginia Cheroots
during the last thirty years, because they are just as good now—in fact, better than when they were first made.

Three hundred million Old Virginia Cheroots smoked this year. Ask your own dealer. Price, 3 for 5 cents.

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The Legislature of Kansas passed a resolution vigorously denouncing the barbarous practice of "hazing" at West Point; but the burning of Negroes at the stake in that state doesn't seem to have attracted the attention of the law-makers.

After a reign of more than sixty years as Queen of England and queen of the hearts of the English people, Victoria has laid down her earthly crown to assume her heavenly one, greeted with the plaudit, "Well done, good and faithful servant."

THINK of it! One hundred years ago it would have taken thirty days for the readers of THE LEDGER to learn of the death of England's beloved Queen. Today the news comes in thirty minutes. Surely we live in the world's most glorious epoch.

JAMES E. CANTRELL, having constructed for himself considerable political pull by the use of his judicial functions, is now further strengthening his candidacy for the United States Senate by openly dabbling in machine politics. This, says The Louisville Dispatch, may be all right according to Cantrell ethics, but it is a very poor practice for a Judge.

Whoever has suffered, from piles knows how painful and troublesome they are. The following simple remedy is guaranteed to cure piles. Price 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 25 cents. J. J. Wood & Son, New York.

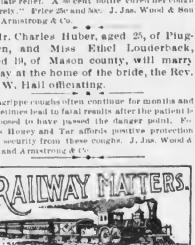
HOME-SEEKERS EXCURSIONS.

To the West, Southwest and Southeast. Western, Southern and Mountain trip. Tickets good for 60 days. Stops allowed on going trip. Dates of sale—February 15, 1910, to April 15, 1910.

Price, \$100. Write for time and best equipment. Write for names and all particulars. A. J. Daingerfield, D. P. A., One Hall, Cincinnati.

OLD MEXICO.

Thompson's personally conducted West Mexico tour, leaving Cincinnati and points East on Wednesday, February 15, 1910, in Pullman car. Composite car, dining compartment sleepers, drawing-room car with elegant appointments, suites, 11,000 miles of travel in Mexico, 1000 miles to the Tropic of Cancer, 1000 miles to the Tropic of Capricorn, 1000 miles to the Equator, 1000 miles to the Arctic Circle, 4000 miles to Cincinnati.



SPECIAL ONE-WAY-RATES.

Via the Missouri-Pacific, Railways, the Great Northern and British Columbia. Dates of sale—February 12th, 19th and 26th; March 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th; April 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th. Quick time and best equipment. Write for names and all particulars. A. J. Daingerfield, D. P. A., One Hall, Cincinnati.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

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VICTORIA IS DEAD.

The Beloved Queen Is No More
and Edward VII. Reigns
in Her Stead

MOST STUPENDOUS CHANGE IN HISTORY

The End of a Career Never Equalled
by Any Woman Came in a Sim-
ply Furnished Room

Around the Bedside of the Dying Ruler
Were Gathered Almost Every De-
scendant of Her Line.

From All Parts of the World There
Are Pouring into Osborne House
Messages of Condolence — Re-
maine Will Be Taken to
Windsor on Saturday.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 23.—Queen Victoria is dead and Edward VII. reigns.

The greatest event in the memory of this generation, the most
dramatic change in the condition
that could possibly be imagined, has
taken place quietly, almost gently,
upon the anniversary of the death of
Queen Victoria's father, the Duke of
Kent.

The end of this career, never
equaled by any woman in the world's
history, came in a simply furnished
room in Osborne house. This most
respected of all women, living or
dead, lay in a great four-posted bed
and made a shrunken atom whose
face and figure were a cruel
mockery of the fair girl who in 1837
began to rule over England.

Portrait of the Prince Consort.

Around her were gathered almost
every descendant of her line. Well
within view of her dying eye, there
hung a portrait of the prince con-
sort. It was he who designed the
room and every part of the castle.



KING EDWARD VII.
Known for Many Years as the Prince of Wales.

In scarcely intelligible words the white-
haired bishop of Winchester prayed
beside her as he had often prayed
with his sovereign, for she was her
chaplain at Windsor. With bowed
heads the imperious ruler of the Ger-
man empire and the man who is now
king of England, the prince of wales,
had succeeded to the title of queen,
the princesses and princesses, and those
of less than royal designation list-
ened to the bishop's ceaseless prayer.

The Women Sobbed Fatale.

Six o'clock passed. The bishop con-
tinued his intercession. One of the
younger children asked a question in
a shrill, childlike treble, and was im-
mediately silenced. The wails of the
royal family, soothed faintly, and
the music ceased entirely. At exactly
6:30 Sir James Reid held up his
hand, and the people in the room
knew that England had lost her
queen. The bishop pronounced the
benediction.

The queen passed away quiet,
fully conscious, without pain. Those
who were now mourners went to
their rooms. A few minutes later
the inevitable element of materialism
stepped into this pathetic chapter of
international history, for the court
ladies were busily at work ordering
their mourning from London.

Wheels of the World Jolted.

The world of the world, well
known when the announcement came,
but in this palace of Osborne, every-
thing pursued a usual course. Down
in the kitchen they were cooking a
huge dinner for an assemblage the
like of which has seldom been known
in England, and the dinner prepara-
tions proceeded just as if nothing
had happened.

The body of Queen Victoria was
embalmed and will probably be taken
to Windsor Saturday. The coffin ar-
rived Tuesday evening from London.

It was thought that the queen was
dying about 1 in the afternoon, and
carriages were sent to Osborne cot-
tage to bring the emperor to bring all the
princes and princesses and the bishop
of Winchester to her bedside.

The Beginning of the End.

It seemed then very near the end, but when things looked the worst
the queen had one of the rales, due
to her wonderful constitution, and
opened her eyes and recognized the
prince of Wales, the prime minister
and Emperor William. She asked to
see one of her faithful servants, a mem-
ber of the household. He hastened
to the room, but he found that the
queen had passed into a fitful
sleep.

Four o'clock marked the beginning
of the end. Again the family were
summoned, and this time the relapse
was followed by recovery.

Rebreath Her Land.

The prince of Wales was very much
affected when the doctors at last informed
him that his mother had breathed her last. Emperor William, himself deeply affected, did his best
to minister comfort to his sorrow-
stricken uncle, whose new dignity he
was the first to acknowledge.

Friends of the royal house said there
are still pouring to Cowes messages of
condolence. They come from
crowned heads, millionaires, trades-
men and pipers, and are variously
addressed to the prince of Wales and
the king of England.

Emperor Will Attend the Funeral.

Emperor William's arrangements
are not settled. His yacht arrived
here Wednesday, but it is believed he
will not depart until after the funeral.
Several other royal person-
ages are likely to be present at the
function.

London, Jan. 23.—Telegrams have
been dispatched to all members of
the house of commons urging them
to attend at St. Stephen's. A special
order has been issued by the
tair office disengaging all
and drum calls until further notice.

The Queen's Enormous Fortune.

A small bill signed "Balfour" was
posted outside, announcing the demise
of the monarch. The contents of the
bill were the destinies of a constitutional
monarch, who had been for 60 years enveloped in a more forbidding
mystery.

The death of the Princess Charlotte
opened up the prospect of succession to
the crown, but the queen's death has
not settled it. And it inspired him with
a desire to see the queen. The queen
was the duchess of York, who had
children, and the duke of Cumberland
was born till 1811.

The queen's brother was Edward, duke of
Kent, then 31 years of age. He was not
a man of much influence, but he was
a brother. Sicily was determined
to marry.

He married a daughter of Duke Franz of
Saxe-Coburg, at that time 22 years of age.
She was the duchess of Kent, the future mother of the
queen of England.

He Was Poor.

When the duke was informed by
his son that he had died, he was
so much distressed that he could not
speak for a long time. His son
was much pained by the death of his
father.

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